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Title: METHODS FOR  
MODULATING EXPRESSION  
OF EXOGENOUS GENES IN  
MAMMALIAN SYSTEMS, AND  
PRODUCTS RELATED  
THERE TO

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of the above-identified co-pending prior application in which no patenting, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the above-identified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this continuing application. The entire disclosure of the above-identified prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuing application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Cover Page, Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (89 pages).
- ☒ Formal drawings (6 sheets).

☐ Request for application not to be published with certification under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i).

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